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Examiner: Channing Mahatan

Group Art Unit: 1631

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein mailed to 2 July 2002, setting a time for response to expire on 2 August 2002. As this amendment is being submitted on 2 August 2002, it is respectfully submitted that a petition for an extension of time is not required. Claims 1-24 were subject to a requirement for restriction. The applicants hereby elect subject matter of Group III for examination, with traverse. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for the restriction requirement and the following amendments and remarks are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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